



Economic Growth Region 9

Statistical Data Report for August 2011, Released October 2011

Regional and State Unemployment (seasonally adjusted)

Regional and state unemployment rates were generally little changed in August. Twenty-six states and the District of Columbia reported unemployment rate increases, 12 states recorded rate decreases, and 12 states had no rate change, the U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics reported. Thirty-seven states registered unemployment rate decreases from a year earlier, 11 states and the District of Columbia had increases, and two states experienced no change. The national jobless rate was unchanged at 9.1 percent but was 0.5 percentage point lower than a year earlier.

Nevada continued to report the highest unemployment rate among the states, 13.4 percent in August. California posted the next highest rate, 12.1 percent. North Dakota registered the lowest jobless rate, 3.5 percent, followed by Nebraska, 4.2 percent. In total, 25 states reported jobless rates significantly lower than the U.S. figure of 9.1 percent, eight states and the District of Columbia had measurably higher rates, and 17 states had rates that were not appreciably different from that of the nation.



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Bartholomew, Dearborn, Decatur, Franklin, Jackson, Jefferson, Jennings, Ohio, Ripley, and Switzerland Counties.

Unemployment Rates by State, August, 2011

(seasonally adjusted)

Illinois - 9.9%
Indiana - 8.7%
Kentucky - 9.5%
Michigan - 11.2%
Ohio - 9.1%

Source: U.S. Department of Labor,
U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics

Unemployment Rank by County, August 2011

(high to low)

#11 - Jennings (10.5%)
#85 - Franklin (6.9%)
#30 - Decatur (9.4%)
#43 - Ripley (8.7%)
#59 - Dearborn (8.0%)
#61 - Ohio (8.0%)
#31 - Jefferson (9.4%)
#56 - Jackson (8.1%)
#76 - Bartholomew (7.3%)
#89 - Switzerland (6.5%)

Source: Indiana Dept. of Workforce
Development, Research and Analysis,
Local Area Unemployment Statistics

August 2011 Labor Force Estimates (not seasonally adjusted)

Area	Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	August 2011 Rate	July 2011 Rate	August 2010 Rate
U.S.	154,344,000	140,335,000	14,008,000	9.1%	9.3%	9.5%
IN	3,144,654	2,870,752	273,902	8.7%	8.6%	10.0%
EGR 9	161,548	148,222	13,326	8.2%	8.2%	10.1%
Columbus MSA	38,667	35,828	2,839	7.3%	7.1%	8.9%
Bartholomew Co.	38,667	35,828	2,839	7.3%	7.1%	8.9%
Dearborn Co.	25,723	23,663	2,060	8.0%	8.4%	10.8%
Decatur Co.	12,361	11,193	1,168	9.4%	9.0%	10.9%
Franklin Co.	11,211	10,438	773	6.9%	7.4%	9.7%
Jackson Co.	21,072	19,359	1,713	8.1%	7.9%	9.8%
Jefferson Co.	15,747	14,273	1,474	9.4%	9.1%	11.2%
Jennings Co.	13,568	12,141	1,427	10.5%	10.1%	11.8%
Ohio Co.	3,012	2,770	242	8.0%	8.1%	10.7%
Ripley Co.	14,499	13,239	1,260	8.7%	8.6%	10.5%
Switzerland Co.	5,688	5,318	370	6.5%	6.8%	7.6%
Batesville City	3,403	3,183	220	6.4%	5.7%	8.6%
Brookville City	1,326	1,211	115	8.7%	6.6%	10.7%
Columbus City	19,937	18,376	1,561	7.8%	7.6%	9.6%
Greensburg City	5,374	4,861	513	9.5%	9.2%	11.6%
Lawrenceburg City	2,177	1,977	233	10.7%	10.1%	13.8%
Madison City	6,525	5,944	581	8.9%	8.5%	10.2%
North Vernon City	3,029	2,603	426	14.1%	12.7%	8.8%
Seymour City	9,523	8,714	809	8.5%	8.1%	10.4%

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Source: Indiana Department of Workforce Development, Research and Analysis, Local Area Unemployment Statistics

Consumer Price Index (CPI-U Change), Unadjusted Percent Change to August 2011 from:

CPI Item	Aug-10	Jul-11	Aug-10	Jul-11
	Midwest Region*		U.S. City	
All Items	3.8%	0.2%	3.8%	0.3%
Food & Beverages	4.4%	0.8%	4.4%	0.5%
Housing	1.3%	0.1%	1.6%	0.1%
Apparel	3.6%	1.9%	4.2%	2.3%
Transportation	12.5%	-0.3%	11.7%	0.0%
Medical Care	3.1%	0.1%	3.2%	0.1%
Recreation	-0.6%	-0.7%	0.1%	0.1%
Education & Communication	0.7%	1.1%	1.1%	0.9%
Other Goods & Services	1.2%	0.0%	0.9%	0.1%

*Midwest region = Midwest Urban Average. Midwest Region includes Illinois, Indiana, Iowa, Kansas, Michigan, Minnesota, Missouri, Nebraska, North Dakota, Ohio, South Dakota and Wisconsin

Unemployment Claims, August 2011

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Initial Claims

August 6, 2011 – 177 (D)
August 13, 2011 – 176 (D)
August 20, 2011 – 175 (D)
August 27, 2011 – 175 (D)

Continued Claims

August 6, 2011 – 2,476
August 13, 2011 – 2,436
August 20, 2011 – 2,341
August 27, 2011 – 2,175

Total Claims

August 6, 2011 – 2,653
August 13, 2011 – 2,612
August 20, 2011 – 2,516
August 27, 2011 – 2,350

'D' Indicates item is affected by non-disclosure issues relating to industry or ownership status.

State of Indiana

Initial Claims

August 6, 2011 – 4,467
August 13, 2011 – 4,697
August 20, 2011 – 4,525
August 27, 2011 – 4,216

Continued Claims

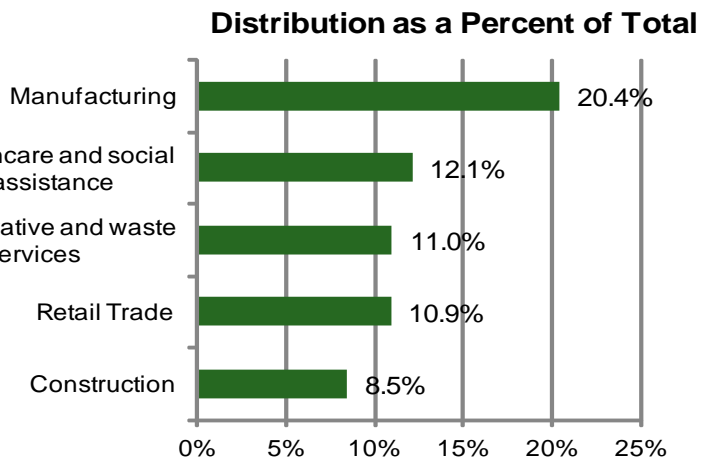
August 6, 2011 – 56,416
August 13, 2011 – 53,947
August 20, 2011 – 53,444
August 27, 2011 – 52,298

Total Claims

August 6, 2011 – 60,883
August 13, 2011 – 58,644
August 20, 2011 – 57,969
August 27, 2011 – 56,514

Source: Indiana Department of Workforce Development, Research and Analysis, UI Statistics

Percentage of Unemployment Claims for Top Five Region 9 Industries, August 2011



Source: Indiana Department of Workforce Development, Research and Analysis, UI Statistics

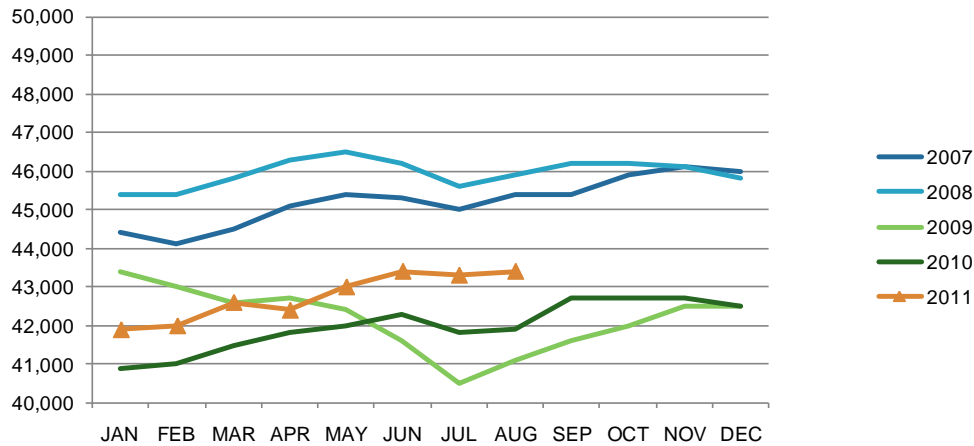
WARN Notices

There are no WARN notices for August 2011 in EGR 9.

For information on WARN Act requirements, you may go to the U.S. Department of Labor Employment Training Administration Fact Sheet:

<http://www.doleta.gov/programs/factsht/warn.htm>

Columbus MSA Employment Trends



Columbus Metropolitan Division Wage and Salaried Employment, August 2011

Industry				Number	Percent	Number	Percent
				Change	Change	Change	Change
	Aug-11	Jul-11	Aug-10	Jul-11 to Aug-11		Aug-10 to Aug-11	
Total Non-farm	43,400	43,300	41,900	100	0.2%	1,500	3.6%
Total Private	38,100	38,400	36,800	-300	-0.8%	1,300	3.5%
Goods Producing	16,500	16,800	15,300	-300	-1.8%	1,200	7.8%
Service-Providing	26,900	26,500	26,600	400	1.5%	300	1.1%
Private Service Providing	21,600	21,600	21,500	0	0.0%	100	0.5%
Mining, Logging and Construction	1,600	1,600	1,500	0	0.0%	100	6.7%
Manufacturing	14,900	15,200	13,800	-300	-2.0%	1,100	8.0%
Durable Goods	13,400	13,700	12,000	-300	-2.2%	1,400	11.7%
Trade, Transportation and Utilities	6,900	6,900	7,000	0	0.0%	-100	-1.4%
Retail Trade	4,300	4,400	4,300	-100	-2.3%	0	0.0%
Information	400	400	400	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Financial Activities	1,300	1,400	1,300	-100	-7.1%	0	0.0%
Professional and Business Services	4,400	4,300	4,300	100	2.3%	100	2.3%
Education and Health Services	3,900	3,900	3,800	0	0.0%	100	2.6%
Leisure and Hospitality	3,500	3,500	3,500	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Other Services	1,200	1,200	1,200	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Government	5,300	4,900	5,100	400	8.2%	200	3.9%
Federal Government	200	200	200	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
State Government	600	600	900	0	0.0%	-300	-33.3%
Local Government	4,500	4,100	4,000	400	9.8%	500	12.5%
Local Government Educational Services	1,500	1,400	1,100	100	7.1%	400	36.4%

Source: Indiana Dept of Workforce Development, Research and Analysis, Current Employment Statistics

Applicant Pool

Top 20 Occupations Desired by Active Applicants on Their Resumes in the Past 12 Months

- 1 Assemblers and Fabricators, All Other - 303
- 2 Customer Service Representatives -251
- 3 Helpers--Production Workers -218
- 4 Production Workers, All Other -190
- 5 Office Clerks, General - 185
- 6 Cashiers -156
- 7 Retail Salespersons - 138
- 8 Executive Secretaries and Administrative Assistants -136
- 9 Laborers and Freight, Stock, and Material Movers, Hand -134
- 10 Managers, All Other -129
- 11 Administrative Services Managers -126
- 12 Office and Administrative Support Workers, All Other -94
- 13 Receptionists and Information Clerks -93
- 14 Bookkeeping, Accounting, and Auditing Clerks -89
- 15 Construction Laborers - 85
- 16 Stock Clerks- Stockroom, Warehouse, or Storage Yard -83
- 17 Maintenance and Repair Workers, General -81
- 18 Nursing Aides, Orderlies, and Attendants -81
- 19 Accountants -77
- 20 Medical Assistants -71

Source: Indiana Career Connect

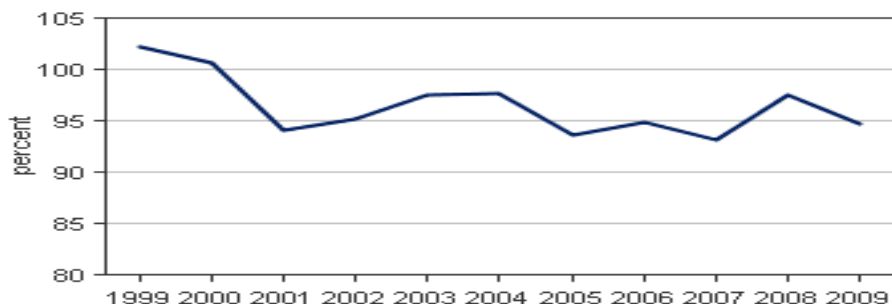
Per Capita Personal Income, 2009

The U.S. Bureau of Economic Analysis provides per capita personal income. Per capita income is determined by dividing an area's total income by the area's population estimate. Income levels of certain population groups may affect per capita personal income. For example, the presence of a large institutionalized population will tend to lower the per capita personal income of the area in which it is located.

Per Capita Personal Income, 2009		
Area	2009	2008-2009 Percent Change
United States	\$39,635	-2.9%
Indiana	\$34,022	-2.8%
Cincinnati-Middletown, OH-KY-IN MSA	\$37,967	-2.5%
Columbus MSA	\$37,589	-5.3%
Bartholomew	\$37,589	-5.3%
Dearborn	\$33,349	-1.4%
Decatur	\$33,394	-1.2%
Franklin	\$33,067	0.2%
Jackson	\$31,843	-3.9%
Jefferson	\$29,151	0.0%
Jennings	\$29,004	-3.2%
Ohio	\$32,917	0.1%
Ripley	\$29,595	-2.0%
Switzerland	\$29,017	0.0%

Source: US Bureau of Economic Analysis, Bearfacts, www.bea.gov

Columbus MSA Per Capita Income as a Percent of the United States



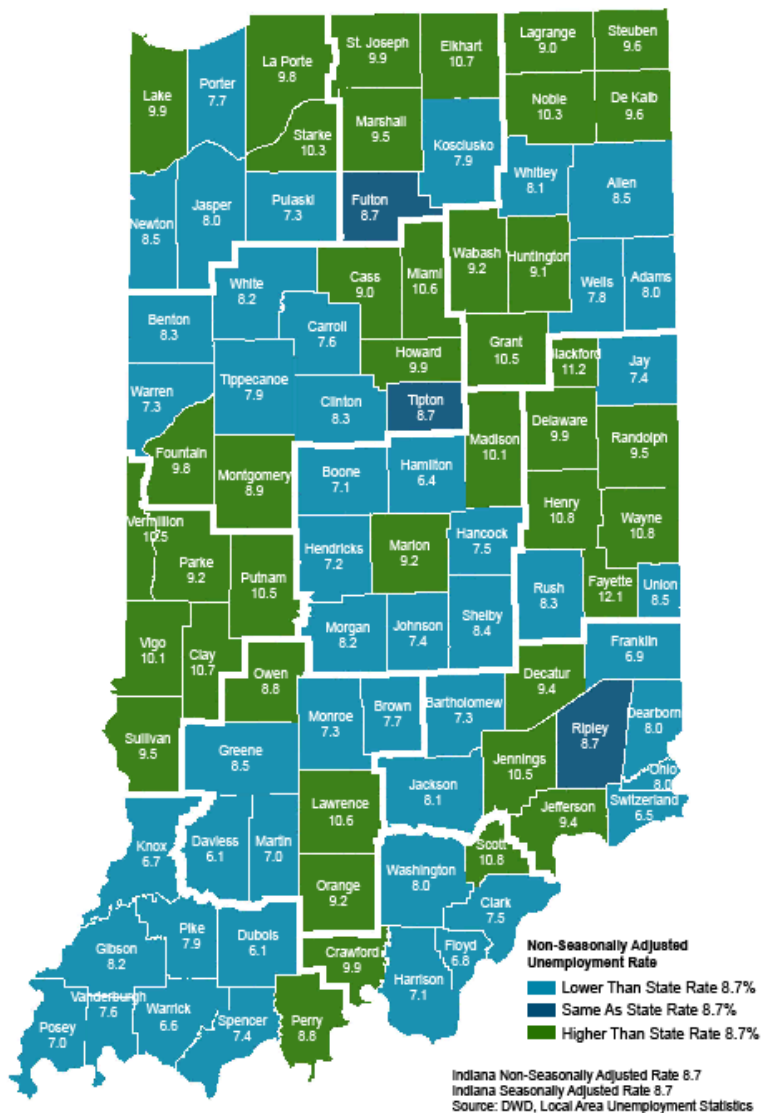
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Frequently Listed Jobs

Top 20 Job listings by number of openings in Region 9 for the month of August 2011

- 1 Laborers and Freight, Stock and Material Movers Hand
- 2 Computer-Controlled Machine Tool Operators, Metal and Plastic
- 3 Machinists
- 4 Janitors and Cleaners, Except Maids and Housekeeping Cleaners
- 5 Production Workers, All Other
- 6 First-Line Supervisors/Managers of Production and Operating Workers
- 7 Registered Nurses
- 8 Food Preparation
- 9 Managers, All Other -
- 10 Nurse Practitioners
- 11 Retail Salespersons
- 12 Maintenance and Repair Workers, General -
- 13 Adult Literacy, Remedial Education, and GED Teachers and Instructors
- 14 Healthcare Support Workers, All Other
- 15 Home Health Aides
- 16 Maids and Housekeeping
- 17 Mechanical Engineers
- 18 Medical Assistants
- 19 Financial Specialist, All Other
- 20 Helpers --Brickmasons, Blockmasons, Stonemasons and Tile and Marble Setters

County Unemployment Rates August 2011



Questions?

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